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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Alan SOLOMON *et al.* )  
Application No.: 09/316,387 )  
Filed: May 21, 1999 )  
For: METHODS FOR AMYLOID REMOVAL USING )  
ANTI-AMYLOID ANTIBODIES )

Group Art Unit: 1647

Examiner: S. Turner *J. Meier*

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

**TRANSMITTAL FORM**

1. Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment** responding to the Final Office Action dated April 23, 2002.

2. Additional papers enclosed:

Drawings:  Formal  Informal (Correction)  
 Information Disclosure Statement  
 Form PTO-1449, 9 references included  
 Citations  
 Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purposes of Patent Procedure  
 Transmittal Form for the Deposit of Microorganisms  
 Notice of Appeal  
 Declaration under 37 CFR § 1.132

3. Extension of Time

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) apply.

Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 CFR § 1.17(a), for the total number of months checked below:

Total Months <u>Requested</u>	Fee for <u>Extension</u>	[Fee for Small Entity]
[ ] one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
[ ] two months	\$ 400.00	\$200.00
<b>[X] three months</b>	<b>\$ 920.00</b>	<b>\$460.00</b>
[ ] four months	\$1,440.00	\$720.00

Extension of time fee due with this request: **\$920.00**

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefor.

4. Constructive Petition

**EXCEPT** for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a **CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3).

5. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid	Present Extra	at Rate of	Total Fees
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(c))	72	minus	72	0	x \$18 each=	+ \$00.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(b))	4	minus	4	0	x \$80 each=	+ \$00.00
[ ] First presentation of Multiple dependent claim(s)					\$270.00	+ \$00.00
<b>SUB-TOTAL =</b>						<b>\$00.00</b>
<b>Reduction by 2 for filing by a small entity</b>						<b>- \$00.00</b>
<b>TOTAL FEE =</b>						<b>\$00.00</b>

6. Notice of Appeal

Fee: **\$320.00**

7. Fee Payment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge **\$1240.00** (\$920.00 for a three month extension of time and **\$320.00** for the Notice of Appeal) to Deposit Account No. 50-0310.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including fees due under 37 CFR § 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: October 23, 2002

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